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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/987,455; Filed: November 14, 2001
For: **Methods for Large Scale Production of Recombinant
DNA-Derived TPA or K2S Molecules**
Inventors: MANOSROI *et al.*
Our Ref: 0652.2190001/EKS/Y-W

Sir:

In reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) dated January 23, 2002, Applicants submit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. PTO Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/17);

2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);

3. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(b);

4. Information Disclosure Statement;

5. Form PTO-1449, including thirty-six (36) references cited;

6. Declaration for Patent Application, executed by Jiradej MANOSROI, Aranya MANOSROI, Chatchai TAYAPIWATANA, Friedrich GOETZ and Rolf-Guenther WERNER;

7. Power of Attorney from Assignee, executed by Dr. Dieter LAUDIEN and Marion HOSS;

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8. Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), executed by Dr. Dieter LAUDIEN;
9. Preliminary Amendment;
10. Our Check No. 34944 for \$1,370.00 to cover:
\$740.00 for Filing Fee for Patent Application (37 C.F.R. § 1.16);
\$306.00 for Excess Claim Fee;
\$ 84.00 for Excess Independent Claim Fee
\$130.00 for Surcharge for late filing of Declaration (37 C.F.R. § 1.16);
\$110.00 for the Extension of Time fee for one (1) month; and
11. One (1) return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

STERNE, KESSLER, GOLDSTEIN & FOX P.L.L.C.



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Enclosures

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**OFFICE TRANSMITTAL
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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

(\$1,370.00)

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/987,455
Filing Date	November 14, 2001
First Named Inventor	Jiradej MANOSROI
Examiner Name	To be assigned
Group Art Unit	1645
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayment to:

Deposit Account Number	19-0036
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Under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17

Applicant claims small entity status
See 37 CFR 1.27

2. Payment Enclosed:

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FEES CALCULATION**I. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	
101	740	201	370 Utility filing fee	740.00
106	330	206	165 Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255 Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370 Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80 Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 740.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims 37 - 20** = 17	X 18	= 306.00
Indep. Claims 4 - 3** = 1	X 84	= 84.00

Multiple Dependent _____ = _____

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
103	18	203	9 Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140 Multiple dependent claim
108	84	209	42 **Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9 **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 390.00)

** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification		
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	110.00	
116	400	216	200 Extension for reply within second month		
117	920	217	460 Extension for reply within third month		
118	1,440	218	720 Extension for reply within fourth month		
128	1,960	228	980 Extension for reply within fifth month		
119	320	219	160 Notice of Appeal		
120	320	220	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
121	280	221	140 Request for oral hearing		
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable		
141	1,280	241	640 Petition to revive - unintentional		
142	1,280	242	640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
143	460	243	230 Design issue fee		
144	620	244	310 Plant issue fee		
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner		
123	130	123	130 Petitions related to provisional applications		
126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
581	40	481	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
146	740	246	370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))		
149	740	249	370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
179	740	279	370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application		

Other fee (specify) :

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 240.00)

SUBMITTED BY**Complete (if applicable)**

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Signature				Date	April 23, 2002

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

01 FC:101	740.00 OP
02 FC:102	84.00 OP
03 FC:103	306.00 OP
04 FC:105	130.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$742.
 - \$378 for 21 total claims over 20.
 - \$84 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
 - \$280 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1612.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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